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A Notice to File Missing Parts has not yet been received by Applicant's counsel. If such a Notice is mailed by the PTO before this Communication is processed, it is respectfully requested that this Communication be considered as responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts. Also enclosed is a check for \$130.00 to cover the required surcharge.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee for consideration and entry of the Declaration and Assignment or credit any overpayment therein to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

Respectfully submitted,

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